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Thomas H. Fulton
Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: December 10, 1946
Education: Mississippi State 1967 BA; Columbia 1974 MA, 1976 MPhil;
Tulane 1980 JD
Began Service: January 2008

Affiliation: Bankruptcy Judge, Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Thomas H. Fulton, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of Kentucky

Clerkships: Law Clerk, Mississippi Supreme Court

Government: Captain, United States Department of the Air Force

Legal Practice: Attorney, Humphreys, Dunlap, Wellford, Acuff & Stanton

Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Steven W. Rhodes

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Steven W. Rhodes
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1948
Education: Purdue 1970 BS; Michigan 1972 JD
Began Service: January 2008

Affiliation: Bankruptcy Judge, Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Steven W. Rhodes, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Michigan

Current Memberships: Federal Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; State Bar of Michigan

Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Marilyn Shea-Stonum

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Marilyn Shea-Stonum
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
Education: Case Western 1975 JD
Began Service: January 2008

Affiliation: Chief Bankruptcy Judge, Chambers of Chief Bankruptcy Judge Marilyn Shea-Stonum, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Ohio

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G. Harvey Boswell
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
Education: Memphis State 1978 JD
Began Service: 2009

Legal Practice: Sole Practitioner (1980-1982); Partner, Kizer, Bonds, Boswell & Crocker (1982-1993)

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Tennessee Bar Association; Tennessee Bar Foundation

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Arthur Isaac Harris
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: September 15, 1957
Education: Cornell 1979 AB; Michigan 1982 JD
Began Service: 2009

Clerkships: Law Clerk, District Judge John M. Manos, United States District Court for the Northern District of Ohio (1982-1984)

Government: Assistant U.S. Attorney, Northern Division, Civil Division, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration (1984-2002)

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Marci B. McIvor
Bankruptcy Judge

Began Service: 2009

Government: Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, State of Michigan

Profession: Private Practice

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Frank H. Easterbrook
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1948
Education: Swarthmore 1970 BA; Chicago 1973 JD
Began Service: 1985
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Academic: Professor, University of Chicago (1979-1985); Senior Lecturer, University of Chicago (1985)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Levin H. Campbell, United States Court of Appeals for the First Circuit (1973-1974)

Government: Assistant to the Solicitor General, Office of the Solicitor General, United States Department of Justice (1974-1977); Deputy Solicitor General, United States Department of Justice (1978-1979)

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Richard A. Posner
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1939
Education: Yale 1959 AB; Harvard 1962 LLB
Began Service: December 4, 1981
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Academic: Associate Professor of Law, Stanford University (1968); Professor of Law, University of Chicago (1969-1981); Senior Lecturer, University of Chicago (1981)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable William J. Brennan, Jr., Supreme Court of the United States (1962-1963)

Corporate: President, Lexecon, Inc. (1977-1981)

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Government: Legal Assistant to Commissioner, Federal Trade Commission (1963-1965); Attorney, Office of the Solicitor General, United States Department of Justice (1965-1967); General Counsel, President's Task Force on Communications, Executive Office of the President, Lyndon B. Johnson Administration (1967-1968); Research Associate, National Bureau of Economic Research (1971-1981)

Current Memberships: American Economic Association; The American Law Institute

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Joel M. Flaum
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1936
Education: Union Col (NY) 1958 BA; Northwestern 1963 JD, 1964 LLM
Began Service: June 1, 1983
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Academic: Lecturer, Northwestern University School of Law (1967-1969); Lecturer, College of Law, DePaul University (1987-1988); Adjunct Professor, Northwestern University School of Law (1993-2000)

Government: Assistant State's Attorney, Office of the State's Attorney, County of Cook, Illinois (1965-1969); Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, State of Illinois (1969-1970); First Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, State of Illinois (1970-1972); First Assistant U.S. Attorney, Northern District of Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1972-1975)

Judicial: Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1975-1983); Chief Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit (2000-2006)

Legal Practice: Associate, Schimberg, Greenberger, Kraus & Jacobs (1964-1965)

Military Service: United States Naval Reserve (1981-1992); Lieutenant Commander Judge, Advocate General's Corps

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The Chicago American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; The Chicago Bar Association; Chicago Bar Foundation, The Chicago Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; The Seventh Circuit Bar Association, Federal Bar Association; The Seventh Circuit Bar Association, Federal Bar Association; Illinois State Bar Association; Lawyers Club of Chicago; Naval Justice School Foundation; Naval Reserve Maritime Law Association; Navy-Marine Corps Retired Judges Advocates Association

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